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Applicant(s): Vincent K. Chan et al.

Title: **DIRECT INTERCONNECT MULTI-CHIP MODULE, METHOD FOR
MAKING THE SAME AND ELECTRONIC PACKAGE COMPRISING
SAME**

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RESPONSE TO EXAMINER'S RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

REMARKS

The Office has restricted the claims 1-46 of this application into Groups I (Claims 19-46) and II (Claims 1-18).

Applicant(s) elect the claims of Group I (Claims 19-46) and provisionally withdraw the non-elected claims of Groups II, and III. The restriction is respectfully traversed in order to preserve the issue for subsequent petition since the examination of all of the claims 1-46 does not create an undue burden on the Office and that the subject matter among the groups is not independent and distinct as required by statute. Furthermore, different classifications as recited by the Office are not in and of itself adequate grounds for restriction since the Office has historically allowed many applications containing (method, and apparatus system and computer readable medium) claims in one patent application.

The Applicant(s) further disagree with the characterizations relied on by the Office to support distinctness of the groups.

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In summary, Applicant(s) have elected the claims of Group I (Claims 19-46) for further prosecution and provisionally withdrawn the non-elected claims from consideration. Reconsideration and further prosecution on the merits of at least claims in Group I is respectfully requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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